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TOM AND MACK WILLIAMS GET DEATH RATE SHOWS CITY TO BE TWO YEARS EACH.

Railway-Petition for Registra. tion Is Granted.

Tom and Mack Williams, colored, were convicted yesterday in the criminal district court of assault to murder King Brown, also colored. Each received two on Brown was made last December near Houston and Texas Central freight depot. Brown was knocked down with a coupling pin and severely cut.

Marie Love filed suit yesterday afternoon against the Gulf. Colorado and SWEENEY & COOMBS OPERA HOUSE The petition alleges that on February 13 show a very tavorable comparison: the defendant company did recklessly, negitgently and unskillfully run an engine over Abram Love, the plaintiff's hus- Concord, N. H. band, knocking him from a bridge and billing him, for which she prays that damages be awarded her in the sum men-

debt and forcelogure, was the style of a all the cities that at present exchange and filed yesterday afternoon. The pa-their mortuary reports with the Houston suit filed yesterday afternoon. The petition alleges that the debt is \$7500 with bealth department. interest and attorneys' fees, and is secured by a deed of trust on lands described in

The petition of 500 citizens of Houston city election was granted yesterday by ord in the county clerk's office. In the

B. Wakeley, burglary; T. B. Wakeley, felony theft; Claude Oliver, forgery; R.

Charles A. Lillenthal vs. R. A. Grant,
Jr., on trial.
The following case is set for trial in
the Eleventh district court today.
Mutual Building and Loan Association
vs. A. S. Dyer and wife.
Suit for County Court.

F. H. Patthoff vs. E. A. Johnson et al; dehl and attachment. Suits for Civil District Court

SURE CURE DE. DE CHOINE'S and Seabrook road was read. The report showed that the Galveston, Houston and Northern Railway company has failed to make ditches and openings hereofore or dered by the court, but upon the premise of the company to attend to the matter, the county attorney was instructed nor to bring suit before March i, but if on this date the interest of the large was instructed for the large was instructed for the large was the large date the improvements are not completed he is ordered to bring suit. The application of L. Priest and others

The application of L. Priest and others for a public read from Newman's school house to the city limits, along the International and Great Northern track was returned to the applicants with instructions that if the right of way is secured by hem the road will be accepted.

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secured by them the road will be accepted and worked as a county road.

The report of the county surveyor on the drainage of the Harrisburg road in the crimity of Oak Lawn, Anderson's store and Mrs. Nitze's was heard and the commissioner of preduct No. 1 was instructed to widen the culvert under the Harrisburg road at Anderson's store and to have constructed ditches and drains in accordance with the report of the surveyor.

ance with the report of the surveyor.

It was ordered that the culvert on the upper end of the Steubner Air Line road be deepened eighteen inches and another culvert constructed 1800 feet above this one, as indicated in the report of the county surveyor. The surveyor was incounty surveyor. The surveyor was in-structed to prepare plans and invite bids the work.

the cost of the work necessary.

Real Estate Transfers. ohn P. Moon and wife to James McAughan, lots I and H. at Cross Timbers, in J. S. Block survey. W. M. Baugh and wife to C. W. Harral, part lots 8 \$ and 10, block 430, south side Buffalo bayou... The City of Houston to Norman

440, south side Buffalo bayou 5,000
The City of Houston to Norman
G. Kittrell, Jr., 45x238 feet in
Beauchamp Springs 80
Basil C. Cushman to J. C. Waddill,
lots 4 and 5, Cedar Lawn addition 2,640
W. P. Hamblen to J. M. Weeden, a
atrip of land 200 feet wide on
Montgomery road, in G. P. Kelton
survey, containing ares. 150
J. M. Weeden and wife to Alfred R.
Hamblen, 200 feet wide through
part of O. P. Kelton survey, containing acres. 150

Building Permits, Milby & Dow, to repair brick building, ongress and Louisiana; \$12,600. German Methodist church, to repair roof, McKinney avenue: \$40. Thomas E. Byracs, to repair flow on San Jacinto street; \$50. a

J. D. McNaily, to repair building, Congress avenue; \$1000 Henry H. Grubbe, repairs, Allen addi-

ONE OF THE HEALTHIEST

Damage Suit Filed Against Sunta be In the Country-The Percentage o Deaths for 1800 Was 14.4, the Same as for the Year 1808.

Health statistics selected from various other cities taken at random throughout the country show that Houston is one of the healthlest communities to be found years in the pealtentlary. The assault anywhere on either side of the Mason and

The mortuary statistics for 1899 fixed Houston's death 1ste at 14.4 per 1000 population and the same ratio of mortality. prevailed during January, 1900.

From recent mormary statistics received by City Health Officer Dr. J. B. Massle Santa Fe Railway company for \$20,000, the following figures are taken, which

The figures show the death rate for Jan

uary in the following cities:

Raleigh, N. C.

Peoria, III J. H. Burnett vs. W. B. Turner et al. for cht and forcelozure, was the avile of a

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The petition of 500 citizens of Houston.

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Country cestate at La Porte has been filed for reccity election was granted yesterday by
the commissioners court.

Criminal District Court.

The following cases were continued: T.

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B. Wakeley, burglary: T. B. Wakeley, trace conveyed to David B. Lee by W. B. A deed evidencing a big deal in rea

for the contractors who have charge of the

Mr. Myers says that it is likely that part of the dredging will be sublet to other persons.

THE DEATH ROLL.

The petition of 500 cftizeus of Houston for the registration of vivers for the April election was granted.

The report of the county surveyor relative to improvements needed at the intersection of Lyons avenue road with Bringhursi and Worms attreets was approved and the surveyor was instructed to premare plans and specifications for the work and invite hids for the same.

The report of the county surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the Caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along the Red Bluff and Seabrook read was read. The report of the caunty surveyor relative to the drainage along t Mrs. R. Pontefract died in this city at

Sunday, February 18, 3 p. m., at the Cen- here at the opera house on the evening trai Christian church, corner Caroline and of Tuesday, February 20, and it will be Capital streets, under the auspices of the given with all the accuracy and with the Centra, Woman's Christian Temperanes, same careful attention to detail that has Central Woman's Christian Temperance marked its triumphant tour.

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Rectiation Miss Sadie Griffia
Andress Rev. Edwin McNutt Chorus For God and Home and Na-tive Land." Thomas "Crusade Hym

Chorus-St Thomas-"Crusade Hymn." A Loyal Temperance Union will be ordren are especially invited to attend leaflets will be furnished by the

small by riding at full speed on Milams street and run down another small boy who was playing in the street. It is a frequent occurrence for persons to be nearly run ever, and unless the practice is put down there will be some serious trouble. It is not safe for ladies and children to cross our principal streets in the day time on many occasions. If there there is no many occasions, if there the day time on many occasions. If there is no ordinance on this subject the e should be one passed at once, and if there is one it should be rigidly enforced. Please call attention to the matter and oblige, A Parent

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AN EVENT IN THEATRICALS. "Oliver Goldsmith' is one of the most delicious camedies ever written."—Amy Leslie, in the Chicago Evening News. "A achievement worthy of unstinted praise."—Lyman B. Glover, Chicago

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Fifth ward after a long illness and will be buried at 10 o'clock this morning in Magnotis cematery. She leaves seven children, four boys and three girls. Rev. Dr. Duncan of the Second Haptist church will conduct the funeral services.

From the start this production has called for just such comment, it beins declared that this first unfavorable review is yet to be written. And this state of affairs is lust for the star not only has a delightful play, but is presenting it declared by the continues and scenery us of are both mentioned as being claborate, while the cast in assistance includes Henry E. Dusey Walter Hale Henry & Wester. E. Dixey, Walter Hale, Henry A. Weaver Beaumont Smith. Clifford Leigh, O. E. Following is the programme for the Hallam Ogden Stevens, Jeffreys Lewis, Frances E. Willard memorial exercises, Bessie Scott and Florence Rockwell, "Oliver Goldsmith" will be presented

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Some writer from New York says that everything there in the operatic line or in the spectacles, of course, runs to the ballet. The largest and finest ballet to be seen upon the road with any of the traveling organizations this season is with Charles H. Yale's mammeth production of the fantastic dramatic spectacle by Sidney a sesson of absolute gaiety and good Cocking and Heating Store, Raste Many Merry Mishaps of Nid, or the Weird. Wenderful Wanderings of Nod."

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At the solicitation of many friends, I amounce myself as candidate for the office of city assessor and collector of the city of Houston, at the coming election in April, 1900, subject to the action of the

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for City Health Officer, subject to the ac-tion of the democratic primaries. Robert McEiroy, M. D. The Post is authorized to announce Dr. J. B. Massle as a candidate for the office of city health officer, subject to the action of the democratic primaries to be held Thursday, March 29, 1900.

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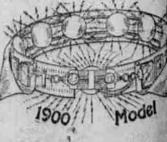
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